

OFFICE OF THE ASSAM STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION JONAKEE COMPLEX, PANJABARI, GUWAHATI-781 037

: SIC/NLB.08/2016 Case No. Appellant : Shri Kamal Sarma

: The SPIO, the Head Teaacher, Keshab Narayan Vidyapith L.P. Respondent

School, Nalbari, Assam

Date of hearing : 07.10.2016

Second Appeal heard by : Shri Pinuel Basumatary,

State Information Commissioner, Assam

ORDER

07.10.2016

The Appellant, Shri Kamal Sarma is present.

The SPIO, Shri Harmohan Baishya, the Head Teacher of Keshab Narayan Vidyapith L.P. School is present. Written Statement dated 26.09.2016 received from the District Mission Coordinator, Sarva Siksha Abhiyan, Nalbari.

The Appellant submitted that he had not received the information he had sought for.

Perused the Written Statement. It has been submitted that the RTI Application was transferred to Head Teacher of the concerned school, namely Keshab Narayan Vidyapith L.P. School, Nalbari. The Head Teacher was again directed to take action to furnish the information on receipt of the First Appeal. The Head Teacher was further reminded to provide the information by forwarding the hearing notice of the Commission. The DMC has stated that the Head Teacher has been disobeying the instructions in this regard.

Heard the Head Teacher. He submitted that the information was not provided in regard to the instant RTI Application, although it was done in response to an RTI Application received on the same matter earlier.

Considering that the information sought for through the instant RTI Applicant was yet to be provided, the Commission hereby orders that the Head Teacher shall furnish the information by Registered Post to the Appellant, free of cost within a period of 10 days of receipt of this order.

Further the Commission observes that the concerned Head Teacher has not been complying with the provision of the RTI Act, 2005, with regard to furnishing of information despite the repeated directions from the DMC, SSA, Nalbari, in this regard as mentioned by in his Written Statement.

Appropriate disciplinary action on the said Head Teacher by the DMC, SSA, Nalbari as controlling officer is therefore warranted.

The Second Appeal case is hereby disposed of.

Sd/-

Pinuel Basumatary State Information Commissioner, Assam Panjabari, Guwahati

Dtd. 07.10.2016

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Dy. Registrar

Assam State Information Commission

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Copy to:

1. The SPIO/ the Head Teacher, Keshab Narayan Vidyapith L.P. School, Nalbari, Assam for

- necessary action and information.
- 2. The First Appellate Authority/ District Mission Co-ordinator, Sarva Siksha Abhijan Mission, Distt-Nalbari, Assam for information.
- 3. The Appellant, Shri Kamal Sarma, Vill-Balikaria, PO-Gopal Bazar, PS-Nalbari, Distt-Nalbari, Pin- 781 353, Assam for information.
- 4. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
- 5. Office File.

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